



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 40

LCO No. 595

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

SEN. DOYLE, 9th Dist.

REP. NAFIS, 27th Dist.

**AN ACT EXCLUDING FAMILY MEMBERS OF MURDER VICTIMS
FROM JURY SERVICE.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That section 51-217 of the general statutes be amended to exclude
- 2 from the summoning process for jury service those individuals who
- 3 request to be excluded because a family member has been murdered.

Statement of Purpose:

To permit individuals to be excluded from jury service because a family member has been murdered.